

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public Servants - Annamayya District - Departmental Proceedings initiated against Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M), erstwhile Chittoor District (now retired) - Under rule 20 of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules 1991 - AoCS issued - WSD submitted - Enquiry officer appointed - Enquiry report submitted - Enquiry report communicated - further explanation submitted - Provisional decision to impose a punishment of "withholding of 25% monthly pension permanently" against him - Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1102

Dated:28.12.2022

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.708, Revenue (Vig.III) Department, Dated:30.05.2018.
2. G.O.Rt.No.293, Revenue (Vig.III) Dept, Dated:18.02.2019.
3. From the District Revenue Officer, Chittoor, Lr.ASECODP/30/2019/A2, Dt:03.02.2022.
4. Govt.Memo.No.18023/18/2018-Vig.III(2), Dt:24.05.2022.
5. Explanation dt:15.07.2022 of Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M), Annamayya District (Retired).
6. Memo.No.REV-18023/18/2018-Vig.III(2), Rev (Vig.III) Dept, Dt:12/08/2022
7. Explanation dt:12.09.2022 of Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M), Annamayya District (Retired).
8. Govt.Letter.No.REV-18023/18/2018-Vig.III(2), Dated:13.10.2022
9. From the Secretary, APPSC, Letter in File.No.GAD03-APPS-DCC/103/2022-DC.SEC - APPSC (Comp.No.1879565), Dt:16.11.2022

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, disciplinary proceedings has been instituted against Sri M.S.Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota on the allegation of approval / digitally uploaded bogus names with bogus khata for the land in Sy.No.514 of Pitchalavandlapalle village and Sy.No.365 of Angallu village of Kurabalakota Mandal. The Charged Officer has submitted his explanation dt:18.01.2019 denying the Charges. As the explanation is not convincing, Govt have appointed the DRO, Chittoor as inquiry officer and Sub Collector/RDO, Madanapall as Presenting Officer vide G.O.Rt.No.293 & 294, Dt:18.02.2019 respectively.

2. And whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, the Inquiry Authority/DRO, Chittoor has submitted the enquiry report stating the two Charges framed against Sri M.S.Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota are held proved.

3. After examining the findings of the Inquiry officer, Government have accepted the same and a copy of the enquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M) (Retired) under Rule 21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules 1991 r/w Rule 9 of the APRP Rules, 1980 with a direction to submit her representation, if any, on the findings of the Inquiry Officer, vide reference 4th read above. In the reference 5th read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation with a request that the charges may kindly be dropped and he may be exonerated and absolved of the charges early.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of "withholding of 25% monthly pension permanently" against Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M) (Retd), under Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules,1980. Accordingly, in the reference 6th read above, a Show cause notice has been issued to Sri M.S. Munipratap, Tahsildar (Retd), to show cause as to why the proposed penalty should not be imposed upon him for the irregularity committed. In reply, Sri M.S. Munipratap, Tahsildar (Retired) has submitted his explanation.

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5. After examining the explanation of Sri M.S. Munipratap, Tahsildar (Retired), Government have decided to impose a penalty of "withholding of 25% monthly pension permanently" against Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M) (Retd), under Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as the charges are held proved against him. Accordingly, vide reference 8th read above, necessary proposals has been sent to the Secretary, APPSC with a request to place the same before the Commission for their concurrence and furnish the same to Government for taking further action in the matter. In the reference 9th read above, the Secretary, APPSC has informed that Commission agreed with the above proposal of the Government and advised accordingly.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter and considering the advice of APPSC, have decided and hereby impose a penalty of "withholding of 25% monthly pension permanently" against Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M) (Retd), under Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980 in this matter.

7. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri/the Collector & District Magistrate, Annamayya District, Rayachoty shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SAI PRASAD

SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To

Sri M.S. Munipratap, formerly Tahsildar, Kurabalakota (M), Annamayya District (Retired) through the Collector & District Magistrate, Annamayya District, Rayachoti.

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.

The Collector & District Magistrate, Annamayya District, Rayachoti.

Copy to:

The Collector & District Magistrate, Chittoor.

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Vijayawada.

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SECTION OFFICER